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Ail her amicable demonntratioius wore limited to an offer of her intervention in opening negotiations with Russia, Accordingly ? on thc 4th of Juno, an armistice was concluded at Pleiswitz, which was to last till the 8th of July, and was finally prolonged to the 10th of August.

The iirst overtures after the conclusion of the armistice of PleiHwit*/ determined the assembling of a Congress at Prague. It wan re. ported at the. time that the Allies demanded the restoration of all they had lost since 1805; that is to say, ninee the. campaign of Ulm. In this demand Holland and the Hatme, TOWUK, which had become French prov-iw<>K, were comprehended. But we should still have retained the Rhine, Belgium, Piedmont, Nice, and Savoy. The battle of Vittoria,¹ which placed the, whole, of Spain at the disposal of the English, the, retreat of Suehet upon the Kbro, the fear of H<>>eing the army of Hpain annihilated, were, enough to alter the opinions of those eounHellora who still recommended war. Notwithstanding Napoleon's opposition and his innate disposition to acquire glory by his victories, probably he would not have been iuuuwesHihle to the reiterated representations of stmnibiu men who loved their country. France, therefore, has

daughter would Htriku tbo drwMve blow atfainrtt him. Without this belief tlu'mctiit IM« no doubt that IM* would have Htruck Auntria before sheeould iavo <'oH«*cttul h«>r foreefj, nnd Mettemhrh Hemntt to have dreaded the roMult. ** it VUIH necwwury, therefore, to proven t Njuwleon from carrying¹ out his uttuuil n.VHti'Ui «>f l^ttvng iwi linny of ohHt't'vatum before tln^ Allicul anilcBn and lihtiwlf turning to Iioii««inia to deal a gr(*at blow at UH» tlio offoct of whit?! It wottiA jw itnpojiMibl* to fow*IMM< In tlin prc'B^nt dt'prowwd nt-atct of t^h<> Kr««jit umjority. <>f our nn*n " (*Mt'trrnirh*, vol. 1. p. 177). With our knowl-(ililgeoC Uow l^i4|K>14>iiii held. b!i own tignijwt the tiiteo armioH ut Dresden w<^ nmy wMy mmmw that h« wtmld hiw crtiHhed AuMtria If «h« had not joine-d him <«• dlftartriffd. Th« ncttttiurt of Auntria wan natural and politic, out it win* only MMHwiwfttl bt*OttttHf Na|K>ldon hcdiovHd. In the good faith of tho. KnttwoV FnM8«i>> hk faihi*r-ln-hiw. U 1« to b<i nottul that Atuttria only su«-miwwd lti gifting AI«*xiitidrr to iiiiigotiiit*¹¹ <ni> the implied condition that th« n«gitj.-kiic>i>i w«*r« not to wild In a JMMMW with Franco, Hee *Mittsrich*, vol. K ji, iKi> wti«ins» in atiHwor to the C**/ar» queMlon mi to what would btMumiu of th«ir mmm if Niipolnon M'oeptod th<> AuHtrian inedlatlon, he nayH that if Na|K>leoti «li>t>llni« Aititrit will join thft AUtm. If Napoleon accepts, " Uit tit*ffotitif.I*m» will mtmt <9>rtainly »how Napoleon to be neither wUe nor junt, ana iheti the numlt will l«i the tain*. In any cane we shall have rallied the neonHHury time tci bring cmr annieM into Much pcwticms that we need not again ftmr a yanti«irat«* attack 'on any oiw of them, and from which we may

¹ Th«* IMWN of thin di«ei>i>«i battle increaid the difficulty of Una Krcnch plftitiw>i*«ftlRrki at Fragtftt, and ralw^d tie demands of the AUieK. It also ghawk this oott&totttoe of tlictue who rewaiued faithful to un* — *tiourrienna*.